CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT



05-014

Date: Tuesday, January 11, 2005

District: 8 – Riverside and San Bernardino Counties

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WHAT: STORM WATCH

WHEN TUESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2005 (1500)

WHERE: SAN BERNARDINO AND RIVERSIDE COUNTIES

The following is an update of current road conditions due to storms in Riverside and San Bernardino counties.

| HIGHWAY | STATUS | REASON | DURATION |
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| Northbound I-215 connector to southbound I-15 | CLOSED | Flooding | End of January 2005 |
| Southbound I-215 #2 lane from Palm Kendall Drive to University Pkwy | CLOSED | Pothole Repair | Late afternoon 1-11-05 |
| SR-18 from 40 th St. (San Bernardino) to Big Bear Dam (Only emergency vehicles and food supplies permitted.) | CLOSED | Slides | ***See Note |
| SR-18 from Forest Boundary to Lucerne | CLOSED | Slides | Unknown Duration |
| SR-330 from Highland Ave. to Live Oak | CLOSED | Rock Slides | *** See Note |
| SR-38 at Valley of the Falls (Only emergency vehicles and food supplies permitted.) | CLOSED | Rock/Mud Slides | *** See Note |
| SR-38 from Lake Williams to Bryant Roads | CLOSED | Rock/Mud Slides | ***See Note |
| In LA County west of Pinon Hills - SR-138 is closed from LA County Line to SR-18 | CLOSED | Flooding | Weather Permitting |
| SR-173 from SR-138 to SR-18 | CLOSED | Flooding | Unknown Duration |
| SR-243 from Poppet Flats to Alandale (about 5 miles north of Idyllwild) | CLOSED | Rock Slide | Open approximately mid-January 2005 |
| SR-83 from SR-71 to Kimble Avenue | CLOSED | Flooding | Weather Permitting |

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| SR-74 from Orange Cty Line to Grand Ave. | CLOSED | Flooding/Mud | 1-2 days |
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| Northbound SR-111 in Palm Springs at Gateway | Passable on Southbound | Flooding | Weather Permitting |
| SR-2 from Big Pines to ISLIP Saddle | CLOSED | Rock Slides | Until Spring 2005 |

***NOTE: Caltrans and contractor crews are working 24 hours a day to reopen SR-18, SR-330, and SR-38 as quickly as possible. Caltrans is hoping to re-open SR-18 and SR-38 under CHP escort to residents (with proof of residency) tomorrow.

Motorists are not permitted on SR-18, SR-330, and SR-38. <u>Emergency vehicles and food supplies</u> are permitted only by law enforcement approval.

This information will be updated when available.

Motorists are advised to drive with caution and check road conditions before your trip. Please call the "Road Conditions Hotline" at (800) 427-7623 or Public Affairs at (909) 383-4631. You may also check road conditions on our website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist8.

Stay alert – stay alive and **SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE!**

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